

I am writing to HB 6595 - AN ACT PROHIBITING THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS NEAR PRIVATE RESIDENCES

As it is written this bill would turn anyone - including police - who had to fire his or her weapon in self defense into a criminal in any city or suburb in the state.

It would also turn any renter, condo owner, or multifamily home dweller into a criminal if he or she had to discharge a weapon in self defense in a home invasion scenario or burglary gone wrong.

It would also make many ranges - including fully enclosed indoor ranges - in the state shut down. This also includes quite a few POLICE firing ranges that I am aware of.

I ask that you not let this pass out of committee.

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